



Our Lady of the Rosary Catholic Church

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DECEMBER 28, 2025

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigils:

4:00PM

6:00PM (Spanish-Livestreamed)

Sunday Masses:

7:30AM

9:30AM (Family Mass)

11:30AM (Livestreamed)

5:00PM

Daily Masses:

Monday - Saturday: 8:00AM

Monday - Friday: 5:30PM*

*except 1st Thurs & 1st Fri

ADORATION

1st Thursday & 1st Friday

8:30AM - 6:30PM

Other Thursdays

8:30AM - 9:30AM

CONFESSION

Saturday

3:00PM - 3:50PM

Sunday

4:00PM - 4:50PM

Or by appointment

THE CHAPEL

Open daily for prayer:

7:00AM - 6:00PM

OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Friday

8:30AM - 4:30PM

Closes for Lunch:

12:00PM - 12:30PM

Closed on major holidays



THE HOLY FAMILY

He went and dwelt in a town called Nazareth, so that what had been spoken through the prophets might be fulfilled. - Mt 2:23

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WELCOME BIENVENIDOS

Our Mission

Our Lady of the Rosary is where the Holy Spirit gathers us to encounter Christ.

This is a home of

prayer, sacrament and stewardship;
guidance, peace and healing;
grace, mercy, and hope.

A Home for your Family

Nuestra Mision

Nuestra Señora del Rosario es donde el Espíritu Santo nos reúne para encontrar a Cristo.

Esta es una casa de

oración, sacramento y mayordomía;
guía, paz y sanación;
gracia, misericordia y esperanza.

Un Hogar para su Familia

www.LadyRosary.org

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THE SOLEMNITY OF MARY,
THE HOLY MOTHER OF GOD



**THE SOLEMNITY OF MARY,
The Holy Mother of God**

MASSES

Wednesday, December 31
7:00PM
(Spanish)

Thursday, January 1
12:00PM
7:00PM

*No 5:30pm
Mass 12/31 &
1/1; No 8:00am
Mass 1/1

Mass intentions for the Week

Saturday, December 27 - St. John

Readings: 1 Jn 1:1-4/Jn 20:1a, 2-8
 8:00 am: † Moises de Jesus Giraldo
 4:00 pm: † David & Jack Starkey
 6:00 pm: † Angelica Castaño

Sunday, December 28 - The Holy Family

Readings: Sir 3:2-6, 12-14/Col 3:12-21 or 3:12-17/Mt 2:13-15, 19-23
 7:30 am: † Michael Meyer
 9:30 am: For the People of Our Lady of the Rosary
 11:30 am: † Michele Farruggia
 5:00 pm: † Margarita De La Sala

Monday, December 29 - Weekday

Readings: 1 Jn 2:3-11/Lk 2:22-35
 8:00 am: † Serge Nicolas
 5:30 pm: † Bob & Nell Januzzi

Tuesday, December 30 - Weekday

Readings: 1 Jn 2:12-17/Lk 2:36-40
 8:00 am: † Marlene Roos
 5:30 pm: Intentions of Giselle Cortez & Nilda Fonseca

Wednesday, December 31 - St. Sylvester I

Readings: 1 Jn 2:18-21/Jn 1:1-18
 8:00 am: † Teresita & Fernando Imperial
 7:00 pm: † Hector Aleman

Thursday, January 1 - Mary, The Holy Mother of God

Readings: Nm 6:22-27/Gal 4:4-7/Lk 2:16-21
 12:00 pm: † Melvin, Pablo and Maxima De La Cruz
 7:00 pm: † Robert L. Ertel

Friday, January 2 - Sts. Basil the Great and Gregory Nazianzen

Readings: 1 Jn 2:22-28/Jn 1:19-28
 8:00 am: † Vicki Luna
 7:00 pm: † Victor De Jesus & Maria Alamo

Next Weekend

Saturday, January 3 - The Most Holy Name of Jesus

Readings: 1 Jn 2:29-3:6/Jn 1:29-34
 8:00 am: † Ernestine & Manuel Famorca Jr.
 4:00 pm: Living & Deceased Members of Maria Longstreth's Family
 6:00 pm: † Gerardo Diaz

Sunday, January 4 - The Epiphany of the Lord

Readings: Is 60:1-6/Eph 3:2-3a, 5-6/Mt 2:1-12
 7:30 am: † Paul Downing
 9:30 am: † Denise Schneider
 11:30 am: For the People of Our Lady of the Rosary
 5:00 pm: † Edna Mapugay

December 28, 2025

Written by
 THE
 FAITHFUL
 DISCIPLE

Feast of the Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph

Sir 3:2-6, 12-14 | Col 3:12-21 | Mt 2:13-15, 19-23

GROW AS A DISCIPLE | PRAY, STUDY, ENGAGE, SERVE

In his Angelus address on the Feast of the Holy Family in 2001, St. John Paul II shared this with those gathered: "If we aspire to a deeper understanding of Jesus' life and mission, we must draw close to the mystery of the Holy Family of Nazareth to observe and listen." Following in the footsteps of the Holy Family in today's Scripture, we find ourselves in quiet Bethlehem, just after the departure of the Magi. The angel of the Lord appears to Joseph in a dream, this time with a warning: "Rise, take the child and his mother, flee to Egypt, and stay there until I tell you. Herod is going to search for the child to destroy him." They trust in God and their response is immediate. It is easy for us to imagine the Holy Family as different from ourselves — holier and more spiritual. Certainly, that's true. They were holy but they were also fully human, which means that what they attained is possible for each of us. Let us try to imitate them in this holiness.

GO EVANGELIZE

PRAYER, INVITATION, WITNESS, ACCOMPANIMENT

It's easy to glamorize the life of Joseph, Mary, and Jesus, but in reality, the cross was with them long before the crucifixion. From the moment of the Annunciation, there would be trials, temptations, and sufferings. But each time, they respond with immediate obedience and deep trust. In doing so, they give us all a perfect example of what the Christian life should look like: a life motivated by love and always listening for the voice of God, ready to respond in an instant. As we accompany others on this journey of faith, we also must listen deeply to them in order to help them in discerning the Spirit's movement in their lives. As we hone the spiritual muscle of attentive listening, we grow in our ability to respond to God and to God's action in our lives, and to help others do the same.

REFLECT

Most of us will never hear from an angel in the middle of the night telling us to walk hundreds of miles with our baby in tow. But every single one of us will be — has been — called. Let us pray to the Holy Family for an increase in the virtues of obedience and trust, so that we can respond to God's call in our lives.

Sacraments & Orders of the Church
 Please Visit: www.LadyRosary.org
 or call the office

Anointing of the Sick
 Baptism | Confirmation | Eucharist
 Holy Orders | Marriage

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Are you new to our Parish?

Let us know you're here!

Be sure to complete our Parishioner Registration form. Welcome to OLOR!



ladyrosary.org/parishregistration



St. Vincent de Paul Food Pantry

Pantry Hours: Thurs & Fri 9am - 11:30am

For assistance contact: 813-949-6094

SVDP is in great need of food donations to sustain their weekly Food Pantry at OLOR. Consider taking advantage of BOGO offers at your local supermarket.

Buy 1 for yourself, Give the Free 1 to SVDP for a family in need!



Our Lady's Table ministry provides dignified, healthy, well-balanced meals to all in need in the community - served by OLOR Catholic Church at no charge. If you, or anyone you know would benefit, please come to our free meals and invite them to join you.

**Next Meals: January 15 & 16
10:00am-12:30pm**



To help support the continuation of this mission you can donate online or share your recipes in our Recipe Round-up at: LadyRosary.org/ourladystable. Thank you for your generosity!

Questions: ourladystableOLOR@gmail.com or call 813-949-4565



Mass Intentions

There are several openings for Mass Intentions in February & March.



Call the Parish Office for more info!

Call 813-949-4565

Our Lady's Mission Foundation

"Empowering the most at-risk girls to break the cycle of poverty, sexism, human trafficking, child marriage and unemployment."



For just \$365 a year, you can give a Catholic girl in India the gift of education and change her story forever



Help us build connections, provide resources and create opportunities!

ladyrosary.org/india



WHAT IS HAPPENING IN OUR PARISH? | ¿QUÉ PASA EN NUESTRA PARROQUIA?

Mon Dec 29

8:00am - 8:30am	Daily Mass	Church
5:30pm - 6:00pm	Daily Mass	Church

Tue Dec 30

8:00am - 8:30am	Daily Mass	Church
8:30am - 9:30am	Rosary Cenacle of the Marian Movement of Priests	Chapel - Praying for the Pope and Priests. Open to everyone.
5:30pm - 6:00pm	Daily Mass	Church

Wed Dec 31

8:00am - 8:30am	Daily Mass	Church
2:00pm - 3:00pm	Wedding: Meghan McQueeney & William Ritter	Church
7:00pm - 8:00pm	Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God Vigil Mass (Spanish)	Church

Thu Jan 1

New Year's Day

Parish Office Closed

9:00am - 11:30am	St. Vincent de Paul Society Food Pantry (SVDP)	Food Pantry
12:00pm - 1:00pm	Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God Mass (English)	Church
7:00pm - 8:00pm	Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God Mass (English)	Church

Fri Jan 2

8:00am - 8:30am	Daily Mass	Church
8:30am - 10:00am	Prayer Group	Chapel - Praying the Rosary and the Holy Face Chaplet every Friday after daily mass
8:30am - 6:30pm	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament	Church
9:00am - 11:30am	St. Vincent de Paul Society Food Pantry (SVDP)	Food Pantry
7:00pm - 8:00pm	First Friday Spanish Mass	Church
7:45pm - 8:45pm	Reflexión y Oración	Church

Sat Jan 3

8:00am - 8:30am	Daily Mass	Church
8:30am - 9:30am	Patriotic Rosary	Chapel - Praying for the Healing of our Country; Unity and Peace. Everyone is Welcome.
9:00am - 11:00am	Hispanic Commission Meeting	Nicodemus Room
4:00pm - 5:00pm	Saturday Vigil Mass	Church (Confessions before Mass from 3:00pm - 3:50pm)
6:00pm - 7:00pm	Spanish Mass with Livestreaming	Church

Sun Jan 4

7:30am - 8:30am	Mass	Church
9:30am - 10:30am	Mass	Church
11:30am - 12:30pm	Mass with Livestreaming	Church
1:00pm - 3:00pm	Mary's Widows Support Group	Cheddar's Scratch Kitchen 2391 Sun Vista Dr. Lutz
3:00pm - 4:00pm	Holy Face Monthly Prayer Group	Chapel
5:00pm - 6:00pm	Mass	Church (Confessions before Mass from 4:00pm - 4:50pm)

Online Calendar



Thank You from the OLOR Council of Catholic Women!

We wish to thank everyone for their support over the last couple of months. In November, the Religious Article Sale yielded \$700 for the Bishop's Vocation Fund (for our seminarians) and \$700 for the National Council of Catholic Women's Purse Fund (to allow young women to enter religious life). Between the Thanksgiving and Christmas Craft and Bake Sales, money was raised to help the homeless of Pasco County and Sunrise Center of Pasco (a center for women and families of domestic abuse). \$2,500 was given to the Sunrise Center and more money will be dispersed next month. At our December meeting, approximately 110 gifts were wrapped or bagged for the elderly homebound of Pasco County. These gifts were dropped off to the senior center to be given out to clients of the Meals on Wheels program. Thank you for your generosity & support!



Do you have room in your heart and home for a teen in need of a forever family?

Lord, grant Patricia & Brooklyn the forever homes that they deserve and strongly desire. Touch the hearts of their future families and give them courage and peace.



Ignite Your Faith
at the
Catholic Women's Conference
February 7, 2026

Join women from Tampa Bay for a day of faith, fellowship, and inspiration at the Spirit FM Catholic Women's Conference! Enjoy speakers, Mass, music, vendors and meals.
For tickets, scan QR or visit:



MySpiritFM.com/WomensConference



Music Ministry

Tony Sievert - Director of Music
(813) 536-0992



Rehearsals are back in session for our music ministry. We are looking for new members in all of our groups! Here's some quick info:

Adult Choir: Our Adult Choir rehearsal is on Wednesday evenings at 6:30pm. This is a practice for singers at both the 9:30 and 11:30 Mass. We are in need of more voices in all voice parts, particularly men (tenors and basses).

Children's Choir: Our Children's Choir meets on Tuesday evenings at 5:30pm. This group is Kindergarten through 5th Grade. We sing once a month at the 9:30am Mass.

Resurrection Choir: Sings for funerals. I contact the resurrection choir 2-3 days before a funeral to let them know the details. We meet a 1/2 hour before the funeral to run through music.

5PM Mass Band: If you are interested in taking part in the band that leads music for 5pm Mass on Sundays, you can contact Jonathan Rine at (727) 428-4830.

Spanish Mass: The head of music ministry for the Spanish Mass is Jose Diaz at (813) 758-9401.

We look forward to having you participate in one of our music ministry groups, and bringing joy to our liturgical celebrations.



PRAYER REQUESTS



e-Prayer Warriors

Prayer Requests are now online with our e-Prayer Warriors. Visit the website below to join the e-Prayer Warriors email list to pray for your fellow parishioners and others requesting prayer. Prayer Requests may also be submitted through a simple online form available at:

LADYROSARY.ORG/PRAYER

Holy Communion to the Homebound

If you know someone who is homebound and/or sick and would like to receive Holy Communion, please call the Parish Office and provide the person's name, address, phone number, and any pertinent information. Someone from St. Kateri Sodality Ministry will contact you and make necessary arrangements.

Si tienes un familiar o amigo que esta enfermo o incapacitado, Al cual le gustaria recibir la Santa Comunion. Favor de llamar a la oficina parroquial para hacer los arreglos necesarios.



Ministry Leader Retreat
Saturday January 10
8:00am-3:00pm
Mater Dei



RSVP REQUIRED

Contact Office for Invite!

St. Kateri Sodality

Communion to the Homebound

Saturday, Jan 17
8:45am - 9:45am
Rosary Hall Room E

New Members Always Welcome!



Contact Joyce Grande
813-417-3720

OLOR Council of Catholic Women Presents

Murder on The Big Island

A MURDER MYSTERY DINNER

TICKETS \$25

Friday, February 13



6:30pm
(doors open at 6)
Rosary Hall

Reservations Required

RSVP to Doreen 813-997-4500
or coldor4sale@gmail.com

ladyrosary.org/ccw



WE'RE HIRING!

Substitute Teachers

- must be able to lift 20 pounds
- must enroll in/already have required DCF courses
- must pass a level 2 background screening

CALL 813-948-5999





Chili's Restaurant
22629 FL-54
Land O Lakes

Mention **OLOR YM** to Server!

15% OF YOUR TICKET PROCEEDS GOES TOWARDS OLOR YOUTH MINISTRY

Sunday Jan. 18
11am-9pm

GOOD FOOD FOR A GREAT CAUSE




Know, Love & Live Your **FAITH**

LIVE THE LITURGY

God created the Holy Family with a great sense of purpose, because he knew that Jesus would be defined by the woman and man who raised him. Who is our "Holy Family" — the people who will define us? Who has God placed within our lives for a specific purpose?

QUESTIONS OF THE WEEK

First Reading:

Sirach emphasizes the importance of children honoring and respecting their parents. What are some of your favorite memories of your parents?

Second Reading:

Paul taught the Colossians that families should show mutual respect and love toward one another. How do you encourage these virtues in your family?

Gospel:

We hear how the Holy Family faced some very dangerous circumstances early on. Can you think of some challenges your family has had to overcome?

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St. Timothy & Our Lady of the Rosary Young Adults Invite You To

THE SOURCE

All Catholic Young Adults in their 20s & 30s are invited for a night of Praise & Worship, Adoration and Mass.

MONDAY, JAN 26
7:00-8:30 PM

Our Lady of the Rosary
In the Church
2348 Collier Pkwy., Land O Lakes




Marriage Jubilee Mass
of Thanksgiving

Sunday, February 8 at 3:00 PM
at the Cathedral of St. Jude the Apostle

This event honors couples throughout the diocese who will celebrate their 25th & 50th Anniversaries, as well as those celebrating 51 or more years of marriage, during the 2026 calendar year.

PLEASE RSVP BY CALLING THE OLOR PARISH OFFICE BY WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 14

Healing Mass

No Healing Mass in January

Bilingual



Come for physical, emotional or spiritual healing for yourself and others.



Confession, blessing of holy water, blessing of salt, offering of written prayers, and following the Mass, individual prayer is available with our healing prayer teams.

NEW Eucharistic Adoration
Starts Thursday, January 8

We're adding additional Adoration hours of 6:00pm-9:00pm in the Chapel every Thursday (except First Thursday & some holidays/Holy Days). No sign-up needed!

ladyrosary.org/adoration




First Friday Adoration

We Need Adorers for **JANUARY!**




Sign Up for a 1-hr Time Slot

ladyrosary.org/adoration

Children's Ministry

JANUARY FAITH FORMATION

Sunday: 11, 18, 25

Monday: 12, 19, 26

Tuesday: 6, 13, 20, 27

Wednesday: 7, 14, 21, 28

Thursday: 8, 15, 22, 29



May First Holy Communion Group



If you have not completed your First Reconciliation please do so by December 25.

This will be important for Session #1 for First Holy Communion on January 7 at 6:30 PM.

Thank you to all who participated in our Christmas Pageant on Christmas Eve



KIC NEWS

Remember Bible and Journal

Bible Challenge
for January 12, 2026

READ: Luke 22: 7-20
What is Jesus doing here?

**HAPPY
2026
NEW YEAR**

**from all of us in
Children's Ministry.
Connie, Maria and Jane**

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HSYM & MSYM NEWS



"Where young souls come to learn about our Lord"

OUR NIGHTS OF MINISTRY



HSYM RESUMES JANUARY 11TH, 2026

MSYM RESUMES JANUARY 12TH, 2026

MERRY CHRISTMAS

WE PRAY EVERYONE HAS HAD A WONDERFUL CHRISTMAS BREAK!

HAPPY NEW YEAR!

HAPPY 2026 NEW YEAR

NO SESSIONS STARTING DECEMBER 21ST THROUGH JANUARY 5TH CHRISTMAS BREAK

ROCK THE UNIVERSE

UNIVERSAL ORLANDO RESORT

CHRISTIAN MUSIC FESTIVAL

JANUARY 24, 2026

\$125

INCLUDES TICKET & TRANSPORT

LADYROSARY.ORG/ROCKTHEUNIVERSE

REGISTER NOW!



Summer Camps



Restore Mission (HSYM)
June 7 - 13



Hidden Lake (MSYM)
July 27 - August 1



Covecrest (HSYM)
August 3 - 8





2026 Life Teen COVECREST CAMP



where is camp?
 Nestled in the beautiful mountains northeast of Atlanta near the South Carolina border, Covecrest is in Tiger, GA and a perfect setting for an adventure.

cost: \$600

- Covers camp registration (meals, activities & lodging) and transportation
- Spending money is additional
- This reduced cost of \$600 is offered now thanks to the youths' expected participation in upcoming fundraising opportunities.

August 3 - 8 COST

ADVENTURE
 see what life looks like from 30 ft. up in the air! Repes courses, obstacle courses, messy games, rafting, outdoor sports, crafts, & fun! Camp is full of adventure.




FAITH
 Life Teen believes deeply in the power of prayer and grace of the sacraments. Camp features daily Mass, prayer sessions and dynamic speakers and musicians!

how to sign up
 Begin by scanning QR to pay your \$100 non-refundable deposit. (if deposit is NOT paid by December 15th, spot will NOT be saved)

how to pay
 Register & pay online at ladyrosary.org/covecrest



2026 Life Teen HIDDEN LAKE CAMP



where is camp?
 Nestled in the beautiful mountains northeast of Atlanta near the South Carolina border, Hidden Lake is in Dahlonega, GA and a perfect setting for an adventure.

cost: \$600

- Covers camp registration (meals, activities & lodging) and transportation
- Spending money is additional
- This reduced cost of \$600 is offered now thanks to the youths' expected participation in upcoming fundraising opportunities.

Jul 27 - Aug 1 COST

ADVENTURE
 Participate in messy games, overcome a ropes course and dive into the mud pit! Each day at camp is filled with exciting adventures and making fun memories!




FAITH
 Grow in faith through Adoration, Confession, Mass, and dynamic sessions from nationally recognized speaker! Encounter Christ in a new way this summer!

how to sign up
 Begin by scanning QR to pay your \$100 non-refundable deposit. (if deposit is NOT paid by December 15th, spot will NOT be saved)

how to pay
 Register & pay online at ladyrosary.org/hiddenlake

Our Lady of the Rosary
CATHOLIC CHURCH

June 7-13 2026

LIFE TEEN



RESTORE MISSION CAMPS





Our Lady of the Rosary
Widows Support Group

All widows are invited to join us for our monthly meeting:

January 4 at 1:00pm
Cheddar's Scratch Kitchen

We gather to support, connect, socialize and help each other move forward with our lives.

Questions please contact:
 Deborah Freeman 217-931-2330
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O C I A

COME & LEARN a BEAUTIFUL WAY of LIFE

If you want to . . .

- be on a life-changing **Spiritual Journey**
- **Join** the Church
- **Become Catholic**
- become **Baptized**
- receive **Holy Communion**
- receive **Confirmation & Holy Eucharist** as a Baptized Catholic
- **Renew or Reclaim** your Faith

O.C.I.A. is just what you need! O.C.I.A. (The Order of Christian Initiation of Adults) is the process for initiating adults into the **Sacramental Life** of the Catholic Church and building a deeper relationship with Jesus Christ.

deaconjoe@ladyrosary.org
ladyrosary.org/ocia



Grief Share®

Join Anytime!

Come for Support & Encouragement after suffering the loss of a loved one

Thursdays in Nicodemus
 1:00 - 2:30pm

NEW DAY AND TIME

ladyrosary.org/griefshare




Marriage Enrichment

Hosted by Servants Heart Couples Ministry

Cana Nights

Cana Nights is a special evening designed to reignite your love, strengthen your bond, and deepen your faith as a couple. Dinner will be served. Limited Space.

FEBRUARY 13
 7:00pm - 9:00pm
 Mater Dei

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O.C.I.A. sessions

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Tuesdays at 6:15pm in Nicodemus

For information please contact: Deacon Joe Grimaudo
DeaconJoe@LadyRosary.org

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Couples are encouraged to contact us early to begin preparing for the Sacrament of Holy Matrimony!

Call: 813-949-5154 or
 Email: marriage@ladyrosary.org

Visit ladyrosary.org/marriage for more info





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Start by visiting our website at ladyrosary.org/baptism or scan the QR to get more information!

You'll find answers to commonly asked questions, registration forms and more.

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RICA

El Rito de Iniciación Cristiana para Adultos

Tiene preguntas sobre la fe católica? Tal vez usted está considerando convertirse en católico? Es el proceso de iniciación por el cual los individuos son recibidos a la Iglesia Católica, por medio del Bautismo, Confirmación y la Sagrada Eucaristía o Comunión.

TODOS LOS JUEVES
6:30pm-9:00pm en Nicodemus
ladyrosary.org/rica

Para Más Información:
Luis Nuñez 813-784-4035
RICAENOLOR@GMAIL.COM
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Conoce, Ama y Vive Tu FE

VIVIR LA LITURGIA

Dios creó a la Sagrada Familia con un gran sentido de propósito, porque sabía que Jesús sería definido por la mujer y el hombre que lo criarán. ¿Quiénes son nuestra "Sagrada Familia", las personas que nos definirán? ¿A quién ha colocado Dios en nuestras vidas con un propósito específico?

PREGUNTAS DE LA SEMANA

Primera Lectura:

Sirácides enfatiza la importancia de que los niños honren y respeten a sus padres. ¿Cuáles son algunos de tus recuerdos favoritos de tus padres?

Segunda Lectura:

Pablo enseñó a los colosenses que las familias deben mostrar respeto mutuo y amor entre sí. ¿Cómo fomentas estas virtudes en tu familia?

Evangelio:

Escuchamos cómo la Sagrada Familia se enfrentó a algunas circunstancias muy peligrosas desde el principio. ¿Puedes pensar en algunos desafíos que tu familia ha tenido que superar?

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Legión de María en Nuestra Señora del Rosario

Se reúne todos los viernes a las
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Reunion: Martes en Rosary Hall - 7:30 pm

Para Información:
 Francisco Kolster 813-435-0531
 Carolina Francis 813-527-1437

Reserva las fechas:
 Retiros: 9/12-14; 10/24-26; 12/5-7



GRUPO DE ORACIÓN

Si deseas una vida íntima y profunda de oración con Dios, nuestro Padre Creador, te invitamos a participar en el Grupo de Oración.

Nos reunimos casi todos los Jueves de 7:00-8:30 p.m.

(ver calendario parroquial)

Para más información:
Amparo Gomez 813-370-6442



Después de Misa de Primer Viernes

REFLEXIÓN Y ORACIÓN

dirigida por Padre Freddy Bustamente
7:45-8:45pm



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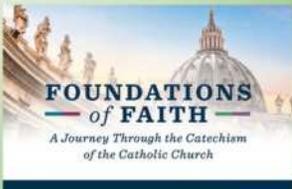
en Immaculata Hall L | **6:30-8:00 PM**

Más información: anasolorzano51@hotmail.com



Morning Bible Study!
Wednesdays 6:15 - 7:15am
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20 Sessions

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Mission - ReDiscover Jesus supports, encourages, & strengthens men in their faith journey.



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RDJ Guys Night on Tap
 2nd Tuesday of the Month

Tuesday, Jan. 13 | 6:30PM - 8:30PM

Speaker: Fr. Justin Paskert

Topic: "TBD"

Location: STONEWATER GRILL
 4422 Land O Lakes Blvd (Hwy 41)




Hearts AFIRE Book DISCUSSION

Parish-based Programs from the Marian Fathers of the Immaculate Conception

Join us on Tuesdays!
January 13 – February 17
8:30 AM – 10:00 AM

Purchase "Preparation For Total Consecration To The Holy Face Of Jesus" by Fr. Lawrence Daniel Carney III Jan 13!

Contact: Cheryl Hammond 813-728-8448 (Cell)

All are welcome to join!

Mercy Calling

Thursday, January 15
9:45am - 10:45am in Rosary Hall H

This Ministry pools its resources to award gifts to local charities championed by its members.

Contact Joyce Grande 813-417-3720
ladyrosary.org/mercycalling




Join The Associates of the Blessed Sacrament of Our Lady of the Rosary on **Friday, JAN 16** for a **Guided Holy Hour & Potluck Dinner at 6:00pm in Mater Dei.** All are invited! This is a structured hour-long period of prayer and reflection followed by dinner & table discussions. More info: Dimitre Bobev at 727-403-8060



Resumes Jan 12!

MONDAYS 2:00PM - 3:30PM
Nicodemus

Led by David Sanborn
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Holy Face Chaplet Prayer Group
1st Sunday of every month
3:00pm - 4:00pm in the Chapel

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More info: text Paula at 813-997-9299

OUR FAITH:
 Why We Believe What We Believe

THURSDAYS 7:00pm - 8:00pm
 Rosary Hall A B C & D
ladyrosary.org/ourfaith

Resumes Jan 8!



Rosary Cenacle
 of the Marian Movement of Priests
Tuesdays 8:30am - 9:30am
 The Chapel

Patriotic Rosary
Saturdays 8:30am - 9:30am
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More info: Hermie De La Cruz (727) 359-1337

All are Welcome!




ST. JOSEPH'S HANDS

Wednesday January 14 6:00PM
 Rosary Hall H

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SCAN ME

Council Business Meeting
2nd Thursdays at 7:00 PM

Assembly Business Meeting
3rd Thursdays at 7:00 PM

Council Planning Meeting
4th Thursdays at 7:00 PM

All Meetings in Rosary Hall, unless otherwise announced.

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Contact Us:
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Matthew Youngster
8104kc@gmail.com

Assembly 2741
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COLUMBIETTES MEETING

Tuesday, January 6
Social begins at 6:30pm
Meeting begins at 7:00pm
Rosary Hall E & F



BEAR MAKERS

Mondays
10:00am
Rosary Hall E

No experience necessary! Join us for fun and fellowship as we create little bears for needy children
More info: Suzie Garrett 813-973-1117

Study of Divine Mercy

1st & 3rd Wednesdays
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Rosary Hall - A, B, C, D

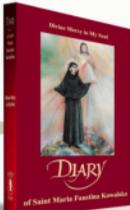


Contact Elizabeth Montgomery
bettymont66@gmail.com | 813-240-3843

Divina Misericordia

2° y 4° miércoles
8:30AM - 10:00AM
Rosary Hall - A y B

Contacto Divina Castillo - 813-679-3967



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Ask your tax advisor or IRA fiduciary about it today!

COME AND SEE

Resumes Jan 8!

Virtual Catholic Bible Study

Isaiah Join Anytime

Thursdays at 6:30pm via Teams

Info: Mau Tran at mtran1969@gmail.com



MARY'S HANDS

Wednesday
January 7
1:00pm-3:00pm
Rosary Hall G & H

New Members welcome!
Share your Crochet, Knitting & Loom skills to create items for those in need.
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Next Finance Council Meeting: January 21, 2026

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	2025 Dec 13-14	2024 Dec 14-15
Offertory	\$ 24,661	\$ 19,272
Mail In	\$ 5,659	\$ 21,905
Online Giving	\$ 9,926	\$ 16,095
Total Offertory	\$ 40,245	\$ 57,273
Immaculate Conception (Holy Day of Obligation)	\$ 11,372	\$ 5,089
Religious Retirement (5% of Offertory)	\$ 2,118	\$ 2,196
YTD Offertory (Fiscal Year: begins July 1st)	\$ 972,651	\$ 961,426
Envelopes Mailed	2570	2488
Online Givers (by the week)	140	152
Envelopes Returned	540	496
Mass Attendance	2722	2444



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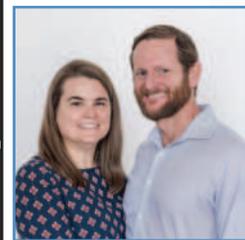
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